

Senate Finance, Ways, and Means Committee Amendment No. 4

Amendment No. 4 to SB1994

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AMEND Senate Bill No. 1994

House Bill No. 2074

in Section 29 by deleting Item 2 and substituting the following:

Item 2. Each higher education institution, including technology centers, shall report to the commissioner of finance and administration, the Tennessee higher education commission, and the office of legislative budget analysis, the actual amount of expenditures for maintenance and operation of the physical plant, exclusive of utilities, for the fiscal year, and any deviation in these expenditures from the amounts recommended in the funding formula for these purposes, prorated to reflect actual funding levels appropriated in this act.

by adding the following new item at the end of Section 10:

Item _____. Any appropriation by the provisions of this act for funding of methadone treatment is subject to the following requirements:

(1) The department of mental health, the department of health and the TennCare bureau shall evaluate the effectiveness of the methadone treatment program and the extent to which methadone treatment shall be funded at current levels;

(2) Any reductions in funding for methadone treatment shall be redirected to other programs within mental health that would qualify for federal matching funds; and

(3) No payments for methadone treatment shall be made to patients, and future payments shall be made only to methadone treatment facilities, pursuant to a process developed by the department.

by adding the following new item at the end of Section 10:

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Item _____. The general assembly recognizes that demands on available state revenue are such that it may be necessary to establish priorities among state services and programs and to revise the methods of allocating state resources. Therefore, it is the legislative intent that local governments should consider in undertaking long-term obligations based on state payments, specifically state per diem payments for housing state inmates in local jails, that existing payments may be reduced or eliminated in the future and such not be regarded as the principal source of funding for debt repayment obligations.

by adding the following new item at the end of Section 12:

Item _____. In addition to any other funds appropriated by the provisions of this act, there is appropriated the sum of \$525,100 to the department of health for the sole purpose of continuing the residential homes for the aged reimbursement program. It is the legislative intent that this appropriation be a recurring item.

by adding the following new item at the end of Section 12:

Item _____. In addition to any other funds appropriated by the provisions of this act, there is appropriated the sum of \$22,000 for the sole purpose of implementing Senate Bill 1746 / House Bill 1802, relative to filing of franchise and excise tax returns, if such bill becomes a law.

by adding the following new item at the end of Section 10:

Item _____. It is recognized that if Senate Bill 396 / House Bill 590 becomes a law, local governments may experience an increase in expenditures of up to \$100,000.

by adding the following new item at the end of Section 12:

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Item _____. In addition to any other funds appropriated by the provisions of this act, there is appropriated the sum of \$4,000 to fund the first year's amortized cost of implementing Senate Bill 434 / House Bill 739, relative to allowing retired teachers to return to employment as elected local officials without loss of retirement benefits, if such bill becomes a law.

by adding the following new items at the end of Section 12:

Item _____. There is appropriated from departmental revenue available from the Tennessee education lottery corporation a sum sufficient to the comptroller of the treasury for the sole purpose of funding increased costs necessary for the comptroller to conduct audits and other activities related to implementation and administration of a state lottery, if legislation implementing a state lottery becomes law. From this appropriation, the comptroller of the treasury is authorized to establish additional positions, subject to prior review and approval by the commissioner of finance and administration.

Item _____. There is appropriated from departmental revenue available from the Tennessee education lottery corporation a sum sufficient to the Tennessee bureau of investigation for the sole purpose of recognizing increased costs necessary for the TBI to conduct criminal background checks and other activities related to implementation and administration of a state lottery, if legislation implementing a state lottery becomes law. From this appropriation, the TBI is authorized to establish additional positions, subject to prior review and approval by the commissioner of finance and administration.

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Item _____. There is appropriated from departmental revenue available from the Tennessee education lottery corporation a sum sufficient to the office of legislative administration for the sole purpose of funding costs of the select committee on the Tennessee education lottery corporation, if legislation implementing a state lottery becomes law.

Item _____. There is appropriated from recurring departmental revenue available from the Tennessee education lottery corporation the sum of \$8,500 to the department of finance and administration pursuant to Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 9-4-210, for the sole purpose of funding incarceration costs related to a state lottery, if legislation implementing a state lottery becomes law.

by adding the following new items at the end of Section 12:

Item _____. There is appropriated from departmental revenue from the lottery for education account a sum sufficient to the Tennessee Student Assistance Corporation ("TSAC") for the sole purpose of funding costs of implementing a state lottery scholarship program, if legislation providing for such scholarship program becomes law. From this appropriation, TSAC is authorized to establish additional positions, subject to prior review and approval by the commissioner of finance and administration.

Item _____. There is appropriated from departmental revenue from the lottery for education account a sum sufficient to the Tennessee Higher Education Commission ("THEC") for the sole purpose of funding costs of implementing a state lottery scholarship program, if legislation providing for such scholarship program becomes law.

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From this appropriation, THEC is authorized to establish additional positions, subject to prior review and approval by the commissioner of finance and administration.

by adding a new item at the end of Section 36 as follows:

Item _____. To the Independent Tax Structure Study Commission in Section 12,

Item 20.

by adding the following new item at the end of Section 12:

Item _____. From funds in the Statutory Reserve Fund established by Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 4-31-108(i), a sum sufficient not to exceed one million dollars (\$1,000,000), is hereby appropriated to the Tennessee Local Development Authority to be loaned to local government units for the purpose of acquisition and improvement of certain mental health and mental retardation facilities.

by adding the following new item at the end of Section 10, to be numbered appropriately:

Item _____. In addition to any other funds appropriated by the provisions of this act, there is appropriated the sum of \$1,500,000 to the state-shared revenue reduction mitigation account.

by adding the following new item at the end of Section 12:

Item _____. In addition to any other funds appropriated by the provisions of this act, there is appropriated a sum sufficient for the purpose of funding early childhood education programs. It is the legislative intent that the amount of these funds be limited to the amount needed to provide continued funding of programs previously funded through federal Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF) funds. This appropriation is subject to Senate Bill 1 / House Bill 1, and Senate Bill 437 / House Bill

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787, becoming law, and authorizing the use or appropriation of funds for early childhood education.

by adding the following new item at the end of Section 12:

Item _____. In addition to any other funds appropriated by the provisions of this act, there is appropriated the sum of \$200,000 for the purpose of restoring reductions in state funding of family resource centers.